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LETTERS FROM GHANA

Your name has spread in my town, Sunyani, for the good work you are doing. I am a moslem, who wants to know the word of God. I would, therefore, be very grateful if you could send me detailed information about your work for God. I am a young boy of 16, and I hope you use your good faith in God to help me. Thank you for listening to me.

Musa K. Mensa
Sunyani, Ghana
West Africa

Brother, let us praise the Lord, for He is good and His mercy endures forever. Our Lord has enabled me to find employment at the Crops Research Institute in Kumasi. I have been asking the Lord Jesus for a better job, and now it has come.

Brother, I have to praise God a second time. Last time we performed an all night prayer meeting I received the Holy Spirit baptism and started speaking in tongues. I have been praying for this miracle. I end with my greetings to all members.

Mary Yeboah
Kumasi-Kwadaso
Ghana, West Africa

These letters, which have been replied to privately, give a taste of what is happening with the ministry in Ghana. Praise the Lord.

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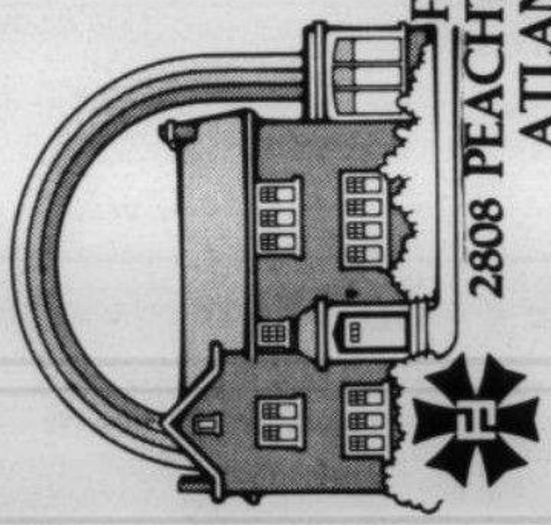
"Everything is possible for him who believes."
Mark 9:23



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PROGRAMS

"...by their fruit you will recognize them."
Matthew 7:20

Faith Center is the southeastern headquarters of this ministry, and the base from which all our outreaches spring. It is where we hold our meetings, and where people come for counseling and prayer.

The Clown Ministry, our principal outreach, brings God's love and laughter to seriously and terminally ill children, and others who are institutionalised. Run by ministers, the program attracts volunteers, many of whom, with our help, have begun an outreach of the Clown Ministry in their own city (e.g. Birmingham, Durham, NC, etc.). Other branches of the Clown Ministry are active in Denver, Dallas, Houston and San Antonio in both civilian and military hospitals.

The Circle of Power, our international prayer fellowship, has members in many North American cities and overseas, with a very active membership in Ghana, West Africa. Members pray for those we meet in hospitals, as well as many, many others, who contact us by letter, phone, etc., and often involve themselves in hospital visiting locally.

Animal Action. Believing that God intends us to love and care for ALL His creation, we devote time and effort to the welfare of animals, working against abuse, and enlightening people as to the needs and plight of animals.

It has been shown that animals have a therapeutic and healing effect upon the institutionalised (pet therapy). Each week we visit with the elderly, who derive a great deal of joy from their four-legged and two-legged visitors!

FEEDBACK

PRAYER FELLOWSHIP

- ☐ I am interested in joining your international healing prayer fellowship, the Circle of Power. Please send me information.

LITERATURE

I would like to receive the following literature.

- ☐ THE COMING KINGDOM
- ☐ GIFTS OF THE HOLY SPIRIT
- ☐ JESUS LOVES YOU, SATAN HATES YOU
- ☐ SEVEN SERMONETTES
- ☐ LIVE AS SERVANTS OF GOD (An introduction to The Foundation Faith of God in Atlanta.)
- ☐ STATEMENT OF FAITH
- ☐ ANIMALS — A STATEMENT OF POSITION
- ☐ HEALING
- ☐ FISHERS OF MEN
- ☐ GOD'S PLAN — A PERSONAL TESTIMONY
- ☐ A WORD ABOUT LOVE
- ☐ WELCOME HOME
- ☐ THE FOUNDATION FAITH — HOWS, WHYS & WHERES
- ☐ A FOUNDATION STATEMENT— GOD, THE WORLD, THE MESSIAH, HEALING, THE FUTURE
- ☐ SPIRITUAL CONSULTATIONS

FAITH CASSETTES

Please send me the FAITH CASSETTES I have checked below. I enclose my check/money order for $5.50 for each cassette as a donation to your work.

- ☐ THE GIFTS OF HEALING — AN INTRODUCTION
- ☐ YOUR ARE A CHANNEL FOR GOD'S HEALING
- ☐ THE GIFT OF FAITH

The following FAITH CASSETTES are original compositions channeled by Rev. Andrew Michaels in which he sings and plays much of the music the Lord has given him over the past ten years. Each tape lasts 45 minutes.

- ☐ ... AND NOW, A WORD FROM OUR SPONSOR ...
- ☐ THE KINGDOM OF EVERMORE
- ☐ TALES OF WONDER

If you have checked any of the boxes above, please PRINT your name, address and phone number below, cut out this panel and mail it to: The Foundation Faith of God, PO Box 56411, Atlanta, GA. 30343

NAME _____

ADDRESS _____

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PHONE _____

SCHEDULE

We invite you to come and visit with us at Faith Center. We suggest our regular meetings as the best times, as follows:

SUNDAY, 1-2 PM.
THE LORD'S DAY CELEBRATION.

Our weekly fellowship. A gathering together in the Lord. Praise, healing, music, renewal.

THURSDAY, 7-8:30 PM.
HEALING PRAYERS & BIBLE STUDY.

A time devoted to receiving the Lord's healing touch, praying together for those in need, and study of the Word of God. Rev. Andrew Michaels also plays some of the original music the Lord has given him.

HEALING & COUNSELING

Ministers are available at Faith Center for counseling and healing prayers. Please call 237-6570 to schedule an appointment.

We also maintain a Healing Prayer Book in which we enter the names of all those requesting prayers. If you wish to have your own name entered, or that of a friend or relative, please call with your prayer request.

YOUR CONTRIBUTIONS ARE TAX DEDUCTIBLE

NEWSBRIEFS

THE CLOWN MINISTRY

Dear Daffydil,

Thanks so much for helping out at the art fair. The children really love you. You are definitely becoming a member of the Egleston team!

Thanks so much for helping the Egleston kids have a happier day.

Pat Booth
Play Therapist

Photos: Rev. Jana Bernadette

"I have here . .," says Daffydil, pulling a never-ending supply of scarves from a pocket as Lilac and kids look on.

Atlanta: As the above letter tells, Rev. Nathania Gartman (Daffydil) played a prominent part in the art fair at Egleston. The children, as always, loved the special show.

During regular visits to Egleston and Grady, and to illustrate the popularity of the clowns, the mother of a child checking in for regular treatment examined the schedule posted in the playroom before doing anything else to see when the next clown visit would be!

Visits at Georgia Regional Hospital have included the young and the old. Many of the elderly patients are senile, many extremely so. Nevertheless they are avidly looking forward to the next visit, and the volunteer co-ordinator reported a wonderful response.

We could not field a full team of volunteers for one visit to the Developmental Learning Center at Georgia Regional, owing to people being out of town, and both staff and patients were asking for Fluffy and Captain America. Besides which they remembered and loved all the tricks, wanting to try them on each other, and taking Daffydil to task for not remembering her entire repertoire!

Photos: Rev. Jana Bernadette

Fluffy (Jennifer Maxfield) looks on as a youngster and TV star, Rocky Raccoon, clown for the camera.

Photos: Rev. Jana Bernadette

Undoubtedly matters requiring great concentration are being discussed by Lilac (Rev. Grace Michaels) and this youngster!

Birmingham: Rev. Grace Michaels (Lilac) and volunteer leader, Sharon Craiger (Peanuts), made an extended visit to Children's Hospital in Birmingham, visiting about 60 children in their rooms, which was a great success. Rev. Michaels also met with old friend and Circle of Power member, Audrey Crable, who is planning on getting involved with the Clown Ministry and involving her friends, which would be a great help to the dedicated work performed by Sharon on a regular basis.

ANIMAL ACTION

Washington MFA Rally: Disciple Margery Cunningham took part in a major rally, organized by Mobilization For Animals (MFA), in Washington, D.C., April 7th, at the offices of the U.S. Fish and Wildlife Service. The purpose of the rally was to draw attention to the systematic slaughter of wildlife, including by a uniquely cruel device known as the steel-jaw leghold trap. The rally was one of several held throughout the world as well as in Chicago and Los Angeles.

Margery reported that a crowd of 2,000 gathered for addresses by congressmen, entertainers and others on behalf of animals. She was particularly struck by an address by Loretta Switt of M*A*S*H fame, who came dressed in a beautiful fur coat only to reveal to the crowd that it was made entirely of synthetic fibres.

Animal Shelter Forced Out: A beautiful animal shelter, Life For God's Stray Animals, which cares for 1100 of God's creatures, is being forced to move by court order. They are seeking contributions to help them relocate. We have contributed and we urge you to do the same. Send your contribution to: Life For God's Stray Animals, Inc., PO Box 321, Lithonia, GA 30058. Mark your contribution "GOAL" to show that it is for this special trust fund.

Seal Pup Clubbing Stopped: Last year, as reported in these columns, the clubbing to death of baby seals was stopped by international pressure. This year, due to an effective boycott against the Canadian fishing industry, strong opposition by European governments and worldwide protests, it looks as though last year's ending of the slaughter will be permanent. Praise God.

Easter Activities. MFA held a vigil and Sunrise Service at the Yerkes Regional Primate Center in Atlanta on Easter morning. Rev. Nathania Gartman gave the main address at the service and Rev. Matthew Gartenlaub provided music.

This was followed by a special Easter service at Faith Center during which Rev. Raphael de Peyer related Christ's victory over death to the victory that has yet to be won to prevent the meaningless and cruel deaths inflicted upon millions of God's animals each year.

Photo: Rev. Matthew Gartenlaub

Hazel says, "I may be the Easter bunny, but don't confuse me with a soccer ball!"

IMPORTANT NOTICE

FAITH CENTER RELOCATION

The buyer of our building, the Cathedral of St. Philip, has informed us that our application to remain in our current Faith Center for a year has been rejected. We are, therefore, forced to vacate by the end of May. As you know, we are searching extensively for a replacement building, and are confident the Lord will lead us to one of His choosing. We will tell you where that is next month, but meanwhile we ask you two things:

1) Please write us at our post office address, not the street address. PO Box 56411, Atlanta, GA 30343.

2) Your contributions to help us relocate will be greatly appreciated. As you can imagine, the cost of relocating a ministry of this size is considerable!